



# RESURRECTION CATHOLIC PARISH

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13<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1<sup>st</sup> July, 2018

“Go Make Disciples”

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## OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 8:30 am - 5:00 pm.  
Closed for lunch between 12:30 pm and 1:30 pm.  
Saturday & Sunday 8:30 am - 12:30 pm.

The Parish Library is open during office hours.

## RESURRECTION PRIMARY SCHOOL

John Connors - Principal – 8312 6312  
[principal@rskingspark.catholic.edu.au](mailto:principal@rskingspark.catholic.edu.au)

## PARISH MEETING NIGHT

All Parish Groups meet monthly on the 1st Wednesday. We begin with prayer at 7.15pm; individual groups meet between 7.30pm and 8.30pm.

## RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9.30am (or any time by appointment)

## BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday of each month. Prior enrolment and preparation required.

## BECOMING A CATHOLIC

Should you or somebody you know wish to become a Catholic, there is a great program called R.C.I.A.

Contact Pauline Debrincat or Fr. Gerard at the Parish Office.

## MARRIAGE

Preparation program for couples is required.

## NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome. Please collect your information package from the Welcome Desk or Parish Office.

## PARISH FINANCE

The Parish is financially dependent on our Stewardship envelopes. Contact the Parish Office for details.

## FACEBOOK ENQUIRIES

Questions and suggestions for our Facebook Page should be directed to [resparish.ict@gmail.com](mailto:resparish.ict@gmail.com). Alternatively, you can send a message directly to our Facebook page by clicking the “message” button. Either way, the Comms Team will respond.

## BULLETIN

A Bulletin is published weekly and on the last weekend of the month, a Big Bulletin is produced. Parishioners are encouraged to write articles for the Big Bulletin, particularly if personal testimony is included. When submitting an article, please make sure you mark it “Weekly” or “Big Bulletin” and send to [bulletin.kingspark@cam.org.au](mailto:bulletin.kingspark@cam.org.au)

## Mass Times

Saturday

6.00 pm

Sunday

9.00 am  
10.30 am

## Weekdays

Monday

Tuesday

Thursday

Friday

6.00 pm

9.30 am

7.00 pm

8.30 am

## This Week at Resurrection

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2018

6.00pm Mass

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2018

9.30am Mass

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2018

9.30am Communion Service  
7.15pm Parish Meeting Night

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2018

7.00pm Mass

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2018

8.30am Mass  
9.00am Station of the Cross

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2018

9.30am Reconciliation  
6.00pm Mass

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2018  
14<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9.00am Mass  
10.30am Mass



*We pray in thanksgiving for Joe Parnis all those who have died recently.*

*We pray for Leli Cassar, Fui Nhi Moi, Janet Inquanez and all those whose anniversary occur at about this time.*

*Please also pray for David, Jacob zachary Mercado Domjanic, Bill Eppingstall all those who are sick.*

### **PARISH MEETING NIGHT (PMN)**

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Our first Parish Meeting night for 2018-2019 will be held on the 4th July. Being the first meeting for the new groups we will begin as usual with the celebration of Eucharist at 7.15pm. Following Mass there will be the opportunity for all groups to meet separately. Any parishioner who may not have made a commitment to one of our groups but might be curious to know what actually happens at a PMN or what a particular group does is welcome to come.

### **ROAD WORKS**

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Please be advised that from Monday 2nd July until Friday 6th July there will be the removal and reinstatement of concrete footpath and driveways in front of the Church and school.

Patience is asked from all parishioners while this work is completed. We kindly ask all parishioners who are visiting the Parish Office or attending the Weekly Mass to park on the street and gain entrance through the walk way via gate 3.

Movelle Primary School have been kind enough to let us park in their car park for the Parish Meeting Night on 4th July.

### **CAR PARK BOLLARDS**

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Parishioners will be aware that a row of safety bollards have been installed near the front of the car park to protect students being dropped off at school in the morning. Some parishioners have expressed concern about driving over the bollards. The bollards are designed to go safely under cars if they drive directly over them under the centre of the car. The only time they may cause damage to tyres or rims is if drivers swerve out of their lane at an angle. The school is having the car park lines re-marked to make it easier for drivers to stay in the lanes. We hope this helps.

### **COFFEE CLEAN UP**

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It's been noted that over the past few weeks our coffee clean up people over all the masses

have not been attending, therefore leaving the workload on our Coffee Makers.

Please if you are unable to attend to your ministry can you please call the Parish Office and place yourself down as an apology, so we can have you replaced. If we are not getting any coffee clean ups this will result in having no coffee after Mass, which is something we like to avoid.

### **WE NEED YOUR HELP**

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Eucharistic Ministers people called to this ministry have the honour along with the priest of offering the Body or Blood of Christ to worshippers.

We are seeking parishioners who attend 9.00am Mass and would like to be a minister of communion to please call the parish office.

Thank you to those parishioners who have called to this ministry.

### **FR GERARD ANNUAL RETREAT**

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Fr Gerard will be away on his annual retreat from Monday 9th July - 13th July. This means there will be no Masses during that week.

There will be a Communion Services in place of the weekly Masses.

### **GRANDPARENT'S MASS**

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The annual Mass for Grandparent's will be celebrated on Friday 27th July at 9.20pm. Grandparents are asked to arrive at 9.00am and wait in the hall, where they will be collected by their Grandchildren.

### **NO SMOKING ON SCHOOL/CHURCH GROUNDS**

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It has been noted that some parishioners are smoking after or before Mass. Please kindly note that smoking is prohibited on our school/church grounds at all times.

### **55 PLUS - OUTINGS**

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The 55 + group is organising a Christmas in July event held on Wednesday, 25th July at Cuckoo Restaurant. The cost is \$75.00 which includes transport to Cuckoo Restaurant leaving Resurrection by 9.30am and a delicious buffet lunch. Drinks will need to be purchased on the day. Please call Elizabeth Thompson on 0435 791 390 or the Parish Office on 8312 6350 to place your booking. All bookings and payment will need to be finalized prior to the 16th July 2018.

## STO. NINO FUNDRAISING

Sto. Nino Group are selling raffle tickets for a chance to win one free return ticket to Manila.

Tickets are selling at \$5.00 each.

The winning ticket is available during off peak season from August 2018 to March 2019.

To obtain raffle tickets please contact Veronica Santiago on 0427562014 or Marissa Medilo on 0407368028.

## MAKE EVERYTHING BEAUTIFUL

Do you have a couple of hours to spare during the week? If so, you might offer some of your time and help keep our gardens "up to scratch". Contact the parish office if you can help.



## SEAL OF CONFESSION

- In the last few days the ACT and South Australian governments has moved to extend mandatory reporting to priests hearing confessions and the PM and AG have indicated their support for this becoming the national position.

- We all agree that the safety of children (and young people) is of paramount importance; but removing priest-penitent privilege from the law and requiring mandatory reporting of confessions will either have no effect on child safety or will actually make children less safe...

- First, because perpetrators of this terrible sin very rarely seek out Confession and if mandatory reporting of Confessions were required they would almost certainly not confess; so there would be no effect on child safety.

- Secondly, because any perpetrator who was minded to confess would almost certainly do so anonymously, so no mandatory reporting would be possible; again, children would be no safer

- Thirdly, because were trust in the absolute confidentiality of Confession undermined, then any chance a perpetrator would face the evil of their actions through Confession would be lost; any chance a priest-confessor might have to impress upon the penitent the-seriousness of their actions, the duty to self-report to the authorities and to get professional help, etc. would also be lost; children would be less safe.

- Fourthly, because were trust in the absolute confidentiality of Confession undermined, then any chance a victim would mention this

in Confession to a priest would also be seriously diminished; any chance a priest-confessor might have to impress upon the victim the need to inform responsible adults (outside confession) and get to safety would also be lost. Children would be less safe.

- Paradoxically, then, while those seeking to remove confessional privilege hope thereby to make children safer, the net effect will be to make children less safe: by removing the seal, we lose the rare opportunity to point an offender or victim in the direction of the authorities and other assistance.

- A wide range of citizens practice private Confession: Western Catholics, Eastern Catholics, members of the various Orthodox traditions, Mormons, and some Anglicans, Lutherans and Methodists; they do so understanding that Confession is a sacrosanct encounter between the penitent and God, where the penitent is free to 'pour out their soul' in absolute confidence this will not be repeated; without the seal of Confession the Sacrament as understood by Christians would be impossible.

- The human rights to freedom of conscience, religious belief and practice include the right of believers to engage in rituals such as Confession without fear of being 'bugged' by others (even the civil authorities).

- Priests are required in our tradition to resign themselves to punishment, even martyrdom, rather than break the seal of Confession; the faithful likewise expect this of them.

- Cultures and politics like Australia's rightly recognise clear distinctions between 'Church' and 'State'; while the two necessarily intersect at various points, even collaborate, they rightly give each other a wide berth at other times; to require priests (etc.) to break the seal of Confession would be overreach by the state into the domain of the 'sacred'.

- Freedoms of conscience, thought, speech, assembly, religious belief and practice are basic human rights, long recognised in international law, to some extent in Australian domestic law, and more broadly in Australian culture; not to recognise confessional privilege would go against these long standing norms; to force a priest (etc.) to breach the seal would be to force him to act against fundamental tenets of his faith.

- There is substantial social value in candid disclosures in lawyer-client, psychiatrist-patient, journalist-source and priest-penitent relationships.





# SCHOOL HOLIDAY MUSIC PROGRAM

**TUESDAY 10TH JULY**  
**10:00 AM - 4:00 PM**  
**RESURRECTION COMMUNITY CENTRE**

**REGISTER NOW \* LIMITED PLACES \***  
**TEXT YOUR CHILD'S NAME/S TO:  0420 264 410**

- SINGING MASTER CLASS
- GUITAR DEMONSTRATION
- DRUM WORKSHOP
- MUSICAL ACTIVITIES & GAMES
- MOVIE/MUSICAL



- LUNCH & SNACKS
- DRINKS PROVIDED
- MUSIC BADGE
- SHOWBAG



**\$30 PER STUDENT |**

**PREP - GRADE 6 WELCOME**  
**RESURRECTION SCHOOL & PARISH STUDENTS**

**7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> July 2018**  
**14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

	6 P M	9.00 A M	10.30 A M	
MASS OVERSEERS	John Borja	Pauline Debrincat	Yvonne Utoasega	
HOSPITALITY	Melanie Apap Mary Ngoma	Anna Cassar Andrew Cassar Maryann Psalia Naveen Andrade	Evelina Tumiauga Dolly Zipagan	
DATA PROJECTOR	Marcus Dunn	Christian Dizon	Oliver Zipagan	
CAMERA OPERATOR	N/A	N/A	Leanne Alderson	
PROCLAIMERS 1 <sup>st</sup> Response 2 <sup>nd</sup> Intercessions	Sandra Galea Choir Rebecca Galea Marlene Axiak	Elizabeth Michaelsen Elizabeth Osegueda Emmanuelle Brizuela Glenda Macapolo	Angelita Ramat Choir Aurora Asuncion Cleo Oliveria	
Emergencies	Max Michael	Kathy Wale	Isabella Abrigo	
COLLECTORS	Charlie Galea George Borg Jacob Magtalas Jimmy Attard John Vassallo Joseph Caruana Joseph Thompson	Frank Gatt Michael Donnelly Milton Young Raul Dizon Virgilio Romerona Teresita Komarow Tammy Truong	Rebekah Vilardo Alberto Dimo Andrew Morrison Brian Briffa Charlie Grima Isidro Asuncion Jonathan Medilo Mario Debono Sacreana Ulugia-Sa'ena	Richard Marshall Royston Du'Pratt (A) Teddy Bernardo Tilo Mataji Tony Tuimauga Josephine Medilo Marta Molina Oliver Zipagan Marlena Ulugia-Sa'ena
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Gerard Keith Emalyn Spiteri Frank Spiteri Spira Attard Carmen Falzon Patricia Marek Virginia Snudden Rocky Hughes Olga Hughes Marlene Axiak	Fr Gerard Keith Emmanuelle Brizuela Remy Libang Vilinda Rebutillo Judy Leckie Minh-Tam Pham Dudi Nicart Rose Gaquit Colleen Wolfe Karen D'Souza	Fr Gerard Keith Korlu Subah Analiza Pascual Angelita Ramat Aurora Asuncion Catherine Pedralvez Cecilia Navarro Christine Perram	Clem Beltran Cleo Oliveria Dolly Zipagan Eddie Medilo Enza Fatone Evelina Tuimauga Francisco Inot Imeleta Filimoeatu
Emergencies:	Lina Sylvester	Eve Balfour	Marques Navarro	Marissa Medilo
SACRISTY DUTY	Joyce Zahra	Dudi Nicart	Dolly Zipagan Marta Molina	
COFFEE MAKERS	Charlie Galea Anna Wright	Leon D'Souza Rosemarie Balfour	Veronica Santiago Leanne Alderson	
COFFEE CLEAN-UP	Michelle Polidano Mirjana Dutkowsky Tony Zahra Joyce Zahra	Nazzarena Renda Oliver D'Souza Valerie Stockbridge	Luisa Fletcher Kyanjes Kajnar	
CHURCH CLEANERS NO ROSTER			<b>FLOWERS:</b> Julianna Tusa  <b>ALTAR LINEN:</b> Helen Muscat  <b>PARISH OFFICE CLEANING :</b> Doris Cauchi	



Reading 1

**Ez 2:2-5**

As the LORD spoke to me, the spirit entered into me and set me on my feet, and I heard the one who was speaking say to me:

Son of man, I am sending you to the sraelites, rebels who have rebelled against me; they and their ancestors have revolted against me to this very day. Hard of face and obstinate of heart are they to whom I am sending you. But you shall say to them: Thus says the LORD GOD!

And whether they heed or resist—for they are a rebellious house—they shall know that a prophet has been among them.

Responsorial Psalm

**Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4**

R. (2cd) Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy.

Reading 2

**2 Cor 12:7-10**

Brothers and sisters:

That I, Paul, might not become too elated, because of the abundance of the revelations, a thorn in the flesh was given to me, an angel of Satan, to beat me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I begged the Lord about this, that it might leave me, but he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.” I will rather boast most gladly of my weaknesses, in order that the power of Christ may dwell with me. Therefore, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and constraints, for the sake of Christ; for when I am weak, then I am strong.

Gospel

**Mk 6:1-6**

Jesus departed from there and came to his native place, accompanied by his disciples.

When the sabbath came he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were

astonished.

They said, “Where did this man get all this? What kind of wisdom has been given him? What mighty deeds are wrought by his hands! Is he not the carpenter, the son of Mary, and the brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon? And are not his sisters here with us?” And they took offense at him.

Jesus said to them, “A prophet is not without honor except in his native place and among his own kin and in his own house.”

So he was not able to perform any mighty deed there, apart from curing a few sick people by laying his hands on them. He was amazed at their lack of faith.



*Reflection*  
***Disturb us, O Lord***

*When we are too well pleased with ourselves; when our dreams have come true because we dreamed too little; when we have arrived safely because we sailed too close to the shore. Stir us, O Lord, to dare more boldly, to venture more seas, where storms shall show your mastery, where losing sight of land we shall find the stars. In the name of him who pushed back the horizons of our hopes and invited the brave to follow him.*

*Amen.*